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by JEAN ELIOT

RESIDENT AND MRS. HARDING will play an important part in the nationwide celebration of the centennial of the birth of General and President Grant on April 27, going to Mount Pleasant, Ohio, the birthplace of the civil war hero to take part in the exercises there. President Harding, in fact, will make the principal address. Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, daughter-in-law of President Grant and widow of "General Fred" Grant, will accompany them and will represent the Grant family at the exercises.

Important ceremonies are scheduled to take place in Washington, in New York, in Philadelphia, Boston, and in the Grants' old home in Galena, Ohio. Marshal Joffre, for whom President Grant's grandson, Ulysses S. Grant, Jr., is serving as honorary aide, will unveil the Grant tablet in the Hall of Fame in New York and afterward he and Major Grant will attend the ceremonies at Grant's tomb. Prince Michael Cantacuzene, great-grandson of President Grant, will also take part in the ceremonies in New York.

Princess Cantacuzene, daughter of Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant and granddaughter of the President, will unveil the great memorial in the Botanic Garden, which has been so long a building and which will contribute so much of artistic value to Washington. She will be assisted by her daughters, Princess Bertha and Little Princess Ida Cantacuzene.

It was also expected that Major Grant's small daughter, Miss Edith Root Grant, would take part in the exercises, but she is in California with her mother, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Root, and it has been decided that it is

not feasible for her to take the long journey East for this occasion.

FEASTIVITIES for Marshal and Mrs. Joffre came to a close yesterday with the luncheon given in their honor by General Pershing, general of the armies and chief of staff, U. S. A., and the marshal and his party left this morning for New York. Marshal Joffre was marshal of the French armies when yesterday's host took the American expeditionary forces overseas, so the hospitality had unusual interest.

The luncheon was given at the Shoreham, the guests asked to meet Marshal and Mme. Joffre including the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes, the Ambassador of France and Mme. Jusserand the Secretary of the Treasury, A. W. Mellon; the Secretary of War and Mrs. Weeks; Senator and Mrs. Joseph S. Foraker; Senator and Mrs. T. Coleman D. Pont; Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Robert N. Coontz; Mrs. Gen. Clarence A. Williams, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Merritt W. Ireland, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Charles McCawley, the Military Attaché of the French Embassy and Mme. Dumont, the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. Eliot Wadsworth; the Third Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Glover, Mrs. James G. Harbord, Mrs. John McAuley Palmer, Mrs. George C. Marshall, Jr.; Mrs. Robert C. Davis, Mrs. G. B. Farnsworth, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. J. Borden Harrison, Mrs. King Carley, Mrs. Hudson P. Rose, house guest of the Secretary of War and Mrs. Weeks; Mrs. Loyes, daughter of Mme. Joffre; Lieut. Col. Isaly, Major Dubreuil, Samuel Hill and Martha Egan.

SEVERAL other notable luncheon parties were given yesterday, among the guests being the Serbian Minister and Mme. Grouitch and the Swiss Minister and Mme. Peter—the Peters' guests being asked to meet the minister's predecessor, Dr. Hans Sulzer, who was minister here during the war and is now making a tour of the country. The company included a number of old friends of the honor guest.

Dr. and Mme. Grouitch entertained in compliment to Prof. H. R. Fairclough, of Leland Stanford University. The guests included the Russian ambassador, Prince Bakhmeteff, Senator and Mrs. William H. King, Senator Samuel M. Shortridge, Mme. Bazovoff, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Carroll, Mrs. Lynch, of California; Miss Alice Louise McDuffee, Mrs. A. Serpell and Dr. Yencel Sokol.

Air Commodore L. E. O. Charlton was host to a small company at luncheon, entertaining for his aunt, Mrs. Charles Campbell; and Capt. and Mrs. C. C. Calhoun entertained a luncheon company in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Rafael R. Govin, who have recently returned from Spain. Mrs. Nelson Perin was another luncheon hostess, having some thirty guests.

Will H. Hays, sometime Postmaster General, who was the guest of President and Mrs. Harding over Sunday, has returned to New York. President and Mrs. Harding and Mr. Hays attended the laying of the corner stone of the Roger Williams Memorial at Immanuel Baptist Church yesterday morning.

Mrs. Coolidge Guest At Luncheon For Delegates.

Mrs. Coolidge will be the guest of honor at a luncheon which Mrs. Joseph I. France, wife of Senator France of Maryland is giving to-morrow at her home in Baltimore for the delegates to the Pan-American Conference of the League of Women Voters. Mrs. France is opening her home for the occasion and went to Baltimore yesterday to prepare for the luncheon.

The French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand will leave today for New York and will attend the dinner to be given this evening by the American Academy of Arts and Letters in celebration of the third centennial of the birth of Moliere. They will return to Washington on Wednesday.

The Ambassador of Chile and Senora de Mathieu were the guests in whose honor Mrs. Frederic Van Lennep, of New York, entertained a company of ten at dinner last evening at the Shoreham. Mrs. Van Lennep has been attending the Pan-American conference in Baltimore.

The Rumanian Minister, Prince Bibesco has returned from New York where he spent the past week.

Secretary of War and Mrs. Weeks have as their guests Mrs. Hudson P. Rose of New York.

The Minister of Hungary and Countess Szechenyi have returned from a short stay in Atlantic City.

Senator Swanson To Entertain for Lady Astor.

Senator Claude Swanson will entertain at luncheon on Friday in compliment to Lady Astor and the Virginia delegate to the convention of the League of Women Voters, which is being held in Baltimore, but which will be transferred to the Capital on Friday, "Washington Day" being a feature of the program.

Capt. Charles L. Hussey, new naval attaché of our embassy in London, and Mrs. Hussey have taken a house in Mayfair, to which they have moved from Claridge Hotel.

Miss Alice Robertson, Representative in Congress from Oklahoma, entertained a company of guests at dinner on Saturday evening at the George Washington Inn.

Mrs. Hamilton Wright has arrived at Geneva to take up her work with the commission on opium of the League of Nations, on which she is the American representative.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Garrett gave a tea yesterday afternoon at their Baltimore home for official



MRS. EVERETT SANDERS, wife of Congressman Sanders of Indiana, who is one of the charming hostesses of the official world.

representatives at the Pan-American Conference of the League of Women Voters. Mr. Garrett was secretary general of the arms conference.

Miss Anna Hamilton left Washington today for Boston to be bridesmaid at the marriage of Miss Rosanna Fiske and Lloyd Sanderson on Saturday. She will make a brief visit in New York before returning to Washington.

Mrs. Royal Johnson entertained a few guests at luncheon today, with bridge to follow.

Congressman and Mrs. Charles B. Timberlake entertained at dinner at Congress Hall last evening in honor of the Postmaster General and Mrs. Hubert Work and the delegates from Colorado to the D. A. R. congress, including Mrs. Herbert B. Hayden, State regent; Mrs. Herbert H. Hayden, wife of the former governor of Missouri; Miss Maude M. Meeker, of Greeley, Colo., and the delegates in Congress from Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Meyer, Jr., entertained a small company at dinner last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Denegre will have as their house guests for ten days their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sohler, Jr.

Col. and Mrs. H. H. Rogers sailed Saturday on the Olympic for Europe, as did Russell A. Alger.

Commissioner and Mrs. Cuno Rudolph entertained a company of twelve at dinner on Friday in their apartment.

Debutantes' Ball To Be Held at Washington Barracks.

On account of the fire at the Willard, the debutantes' ball, which was to have been given there on Tuesday evening, will be transferred to the Officers' Club at Washington Barracks. The offer of the ballroom was made through the graciousness of General Pershing, a box holder for the ball, which is being given for the benefit of the George Washington Victory Memorial Association.

Other box-holders for this dance, which promises to be one of the prettiest of the springtime glist of balls, are the British embassy, Gen. John A. Lejeune, Admiral Robert E. Coontz, Mrs. Penbrooke Thom, Mrs. Guy Despard Goff, Mrs. Charles Boughton Wood, Mrs. H. Wilfred du Puy, Mrs. George Hesta and Mrs. Francois Berger Moran.

Mrs. Henry F. Dimock is giving a tea and dance this afternoon from 5 to 6:30 o'clock for the young men and young women who have been working for the success of the ball.

The ball will be the opening group of an intensive campaign to raise funds for the Victory Memorial, which will be marked by a number of original features. For example, Rauscher's has been engaged for the first week in May, and after noon dances will be given there each day to swell the fund to erect a permanent memorial to George Washington and the men who fought in the revolution and world war.

Each afternoon a different group of women will be in charge. Monday, May 1, will be Administration Day, with some of the ladies of the Cabinet circle in charge. On Tuesday, District of Columbia Day, Mrs. Bruno H. Rudolph, wife of the District Commissioner, will be hostess, assisted by Mrs. Charles Keller. The District Commissioners will be present and it is planned to make this a representative gathering of residents of the District.

Wives of the Senators and Congressmen from the New England and Middle Atlantic States will be among those receiving on Thursday, May 4, which will be known as Eastern Day. Mrs. William M. Calder, wife of the junior Senator from New York, is postponing her departure from the city in order to be present.

Friday, May 5, will be Southern Day, when women of the Congressional delegations from the Southern States who are interested in the memorial will be among those receiving.

Saturday, May 6, the last day of these afternoon dances, which will be held from 5 to 6:30 every afternoon, will be Western Day.

Commander Charles Theodore Jewell heads the men's committee for the dances. Tickets at \$1, tax exempt, may be

obtained at Rauscher's or at the headquarters of the George Washington Memorial Association, 1700 I street northwest.

A fancy dress ball in aid of the George Washington Memorial will also be given under very fashionable patronage on May 24. The committee on arrangements is headed by Mrs. Judith Sears, who has associated with her Mme. de Bach, Mrs. Grafton Minot, Mrs. William Marshall Bullitt, Mrs. John Philip Hill, Mrs. Randall Hagner, Mrs. Dwight Davis, and a bevy of younger belles headed by the Princess Bertha Cantacuzene. The ball will be held at the Wardman Park Hotel.

John C. Letts and his daughter, Miss Catherine Letts, have returned to Washington, after spending the winter South, and have opened their home, "Ayrilawn," Mrs. Letts, who has been with them, has gone to St. Joseph, Mo., to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Guthrie, after making a visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Letts and their daughter spent most of the winter in Florida, and stopped in Asheville for several weeks on their return home.

Among the distinguished guests expected to be present at the Authors' Breakfast, to be held at Wardman Park on Wednesday in connection with the convention of the League of American Pen Women, are Bishop and Mrs. Henry Darlington, of Pennsylvania, who will be guests while in Washington of Mrs. J. Irving Steele.

At the Book Fair, which is to be a feature of the convention, Mrs. Steele will present her booklet, "The Land of Fortune," written when touring Canada with her father, Col. Robert H. Thomas, 601 E street, who is a regular contributor to the Canadian government.

Mrs. Henry W. Keyes will exhibit at her booth her two novels, "The Old Gray Homestead" and "The Career of David Noble," with copies of "Good Housekeeping," to which she is a regular contributor. Mrs. Keyes has invited three young girls to represent her works at the Authors' Carnival Ball, with which the convention will wind up. Miss Annette Thomas Steele will represent "Good Housekeeping," Miss Nina Lynch will be "Jacqueline," the heroine of "David Noble," and Miss Dorothy Ladd the heroine of "The Old Gray Homestead."

Dances will be held under the auspices of the Catholic Women's Service Club at the National Catholic Community House, 401 E street, every Friday and Saturday evenings from 9 to 11:30 o'clock. Instructions in dancing are given under the special direction of Jack O'Connell from 7:45 to 8:45 o'clock.

Mrs. Cabot Stevens announced that there will be an interesting exhibit of the handicraft by the Christian girls rescued from harems, at the book fair of the League of American Penwomen to be held at Wardman Park Hotel from April 25 to April 29.

The exhibit will be in charge of Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, and a committee of prominent women who are Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinchart, Mrs. P. S. Duryea, of New York; Mrs. William H. King, Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes, Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Mrs. Calderon, Mrs. Charles P. Neill, Mrs. John W. Summers, Mrs. Francis St. Clair, Mrs. Livingston L. Hunter, Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, Mrs. Richard Faye Jackson, Mrs. J. W. Frizzell, Mrs. George A. Ricker, Mrs. Howard S. Wilkins, Mrs. J. M. R. Sullivan, Mrs. William E. Chamberlain, Mrs. Wesley M. Stoner, Mrs. John R. Hicks, Mrs. Frank G. Odenheimer, Mrs. J. S. Hambley, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Dorothy Hunter, Miss Helena O'Connor, Miss Lucile Shewalter and others.

The marriage of Miss Georgia Pearl Kramer and Alfred E. T. Hansmann took place at noon on Saturday at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

The bride was attended by Miss Josephine Beninger, maid-of-honor and Elwood Hansmann, son of the bridegroom, was best man. The Rev. Philip A. Dales officiated. Immediately after the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Hansmann left for a brief honeymoon and will be at home later at 2835 Twenty-seventh street.

Union of East and West To Stage Exhibit.

Hindu Arts and Crafts are announced for a new exhibition under the Washington Chapter of the Union of East and West, opening at the Art Center, 1106 Connecticut avenue, on Monday, May 1. The unique display, which is the first of its kind in Washington, has been assembled by Dr. Kedar Nath Das Gupta, and will have as patrons Lady Geddes, the Minister of China and Madame Sze, the Minister of Czechoslovakia, Dr. Stepanek, Mrs.

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